industries which in a short time produce goods for consumption, *i.e.* where the turnover is quick, and the produce has a big market—the reason being that these finishing trades were connected in their origin with commercial undertakings and only gradually acquired an independent existence. As for the Jewish workmen, especially in Eastern Europe' it is found that they prefer small workshops, and industries which do not require physical strength or a long and thorough schooling; they are therefore less numerous among the skilled than among the unskilled or half-skilled labourers